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Attorney Reference No. 6454-62757**REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION
AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

We are an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is described and claimed in United States Patent No. 6,063,161, granted May 16, 2000, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled **FLOW REGULATED PRESSURE SWING ADSORPTION SYSTEM**, the specification of which is attached hereto.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56.

I believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invalid by reason that the patent claims less than I had a right to claim in the patent. Thus, I hereby indicate my intent to seek broadened claims. My intent to seek broadened claims also is indicated in the Preliminary Amendment filed herewith. At least one error upon which reissue is based is described below. I also hereby affirm that this reissue application was filed diligently upon discovery of the errors listed below.

At least one error upon which reissue is based is described as follows:

Claim 1, for example, includes certain features that are not required for practicing the broadest aspects of the invention, such as requiring that a supply purge be provided by a light reflux gas withdrawn after all pressure equalizations, as referred to in column 29, lines 34-41. This unnecessary limitation renders the patent partly inoperative by unduly limiting the claim. The error arose in the prosecution of the original application, which resulted in the issuance of the patent.

All errors corrected in this reissue application arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant or the inventors.

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